

COSTLY ERRORS LOSE GAME FOR RICHMOND

Griffin Lets One Get Through Him, and Roanoke Takes Advantage of Misplay—Colts Make Favorable Impression on Roanoke Fans.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Roanoke, Va., May 5.—The lack of timely hitting and an error by Griffin in the seventh, which allowed two Roanoke men to score, cost Richmond the game with the Tigers this afternoon, which resulted in a score of 5 to 5 against them. Richmond started off in good style, and kept the lead through the fourth inning, with the score 2 to 1. In the fourth the home team went after Burleson, and when the frame ended three runs had been marked up for Roanoke.

In the fifth Griffin took Burleson out and sent Strain in to do the honors. Burleson had already allowed the Roanoke team to score three runs, and Strain finished the inning without a score against him; but in the sixth he hit the first two batters up, and these two passed, with a two-base hit, noted Roanoke two more runs. In Richmond's half of the seventh three runs were scored off Brown, who had been doing good work up to this time. This left the score 5 to 5 for Roanoke.

It was in this inning that Edra was sent in to do the twirling for Roanoke. In the seventh, with Roanoke but one run to the good, Griffin allowed a hot one to go through, and two men scored. Richmond's hope were then blasted, for Edra had settled down, and did the best work he has shown this season. After the seventh neither team scored. After Edra went in, Richmond was unable to hit, although at several stages they had men on the bases. Notwithstanding the defeat of Richmond, their work in the field exceeded any seen here this season. The visitors made a most favorable impression with the local fans. The score:

Roanoke.									
McCracken, P.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.	AB.	R.	H.	O.
Dressly, 1b.	4	0	1	7	0	0	0	0	0
Ginn, cf.	5	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Blauser, 2b.	3	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	0
Mattie, cf.	3	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Irmscher, 3b.	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
King, ss.	2	3	1	2	3	1	0	0	0
Stewart, c.	4	1	1	5	3	0	0	0	0
Brown, p.	3	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	0
Edra, p.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals.	32	8	12	27	11	2			

Richmond.						Score		R. H. E.		
Griffin, 2b.	4	0	2	3	1	1	Greenshore	3	6	1
Local, rf.	5	1	1	1	0	0	Winston-Salem	5	0	1
Raley, 1b.	0	0	0	0	0	0	Batteries—Taylor and Patterson; Bay and Smith.			
Eberts, cf.	2	1	0	3	0	0	•			
Pier, 1b.	2	1	3	3	0	1	Undets. Postpone Petersburg Game.			
Brennan, 3b.	2	1	0	3	0	0	Benedictine will not play Petersburg. They			
Newton, ss.	1	1	1	1	0	0	have this afternoon, as scheduled. They			
Lusk, c.	1	0	0	5	3	0	will probably battle it out with the			
Burleson, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0	later in May. It is not certain, how-			
Strain, p.	2	0	0	0	1	1	ever, as Benedictine has played seven-			
Totals	32	5	9	24	7	3	teen games and has about six more			
							games to play. Following are some			
							of the games which remain yet un-			

Score by innings:
Roanoke.....00012200—8
Richmond.....010100300—5
Summary: Two-base hits—Ginn, Griffin, Newton, Lusk. Three-base hit—Laval. Stolen bases—Ginn, Blauser, Eberts (2), Pier (3). Bases on balls—Dressly, Blauser (2), King, Eberts (2), Pier, Brennan. Hits off pitcher—Irmscher, King. Hits off Brown, 2; off Edra, 2; off Burleson, 5; off Strain, 3; Struck out by Brown, 2; by Burleson, 3; by Strain, 2. Wild pitch—Strain. Time of game, 1:45. Umpire, Kennedy. Attendance, 1,000.

WAKE FOREST BESTS CAROLINA

Durham, N. C., May 5.—Wake Forest this afternoon walked away with Carolina in the championship series by the overwhelming score of 8 to 2. The game belonged to the Baptists all the way through. They scored four runs in the first and during the remainder of the game doubled this. Carolina, by bunting hits, managed to put a man across the rubber in both the second and eighth innings, but never was there any danger of them over coming the lead of the Baptists. Smith was very effective and allowed only four hits to three off of him, and five off Aycock. Feature of the game was home run of Utley. Carolina did not play as good ball as she should have played. Wake Forest found all her pitchers easy and hit them almost at will.

R. H. E.
Wake Forest.....410210000—8 8 2
Carolina.....010000100—2 4 2
Summary: Batteries—Smith and Lowe; Graven, Aycock and Hart. Two-base hits—Thompson. Three-base hits—Edwards, Billings, Gooch. Home runs—Utley. Bases on balls—Off Aycock, 3; Graven, 1; Smith, 5. Struck out—By Aycock, 4; Smith, 9. Stolen bases—Woodall, Utley and Smith. Double plays—H. Bailey to Leake; Billings to Parker to Utley. Left on bases—Wake Forest 3; Carolina, 2. Time, 2:20. Umpire—Henderson. Attendance—450.

Covington Beats Cleveland.
Cleveland, O., May 5.—The Federal League team dropped its first game this afternoon, losing to the Covingtons 5 to 3. An error by Latimore in the ninth, followed by Justice's sensational triple to deep right, put the game on ice for the Kentucky boys. With two down in the ninth inning, and with two team-mates occupying second and



COLLEGE HOPEFUL OF WINNING GAME

Hampden-Sidney Here To-Day for Championship Battle With Local Tossers.

Although the personnel of the team is still uncertain, due to the faculty regulations as to the eligibility of several players, Coach Griffin, after his final practice at Broad Street Park yesterday, pronounced his charges ready for the first championship battle with Hampden-Sidney this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Besides having the faculty out several men of the squad, Captain Beale was unable to be in the practice yesterday, and though he will try to play to-day, he will necessarily be handicapped by the bad condition of his left leg, which he injured sliding to second base several days ago.

Coach Griffin will send Dixon to the mound, with Seales doing the catching, if these two men are allowed to play, otherwise he will count on Wiley holding the sluggers from Hampden-Sidney in check, with George, second string catcher, doing the relieving.

Moore will probably be in the box for the Gray, and Gray, if he is up to his conditions, the Red and Blue will find it hard to connect. Although the Spiders have a batting average of .250 for the season so far.

L. T. C. of Virginia Wins.
The Life Insurance Company of Virginia, with Linwood Powell pitching, easily defeated the Chimborazo Park boys by the score of 12 to 9. The features of the game were the pitching of Powell and the batting of the whole Life Insurance Company of Virginia team. The score follows:
L. T. C. of Virginia.....1300207000—12
Chimborazo Park.....110000211—9
Batted for Powell: Howard, Cartwright, Hatfield and Powell. Chimborazo Park, Dietrich and Johnson.

RUSKIN LANDS KERNAN PURSE

Baltimore, Md., May 5.—Ruskin, conking, landed the purse of the best three-year-olds so far shown this year, won the Kernan purse at Pimlico this afternoon, in a style that stamps him a thoroughly bred high class. Off badly, he met with repeated checkers, and was pocketed a couple of times until the field had reached the stretch turn. Rounding the last turn for home, Turner went to the outside and Ruskin simply breezed the rest of the way, to win by lengths from Dr. Duennier, while Pandorra was an easy third. Ruskin's time was 1:29.45, but he had had a clear sailing he would undoubtedly have hung up a new track record for the distance.

YELLOW JACKETS TRIM ACADEMY

Ashland, Va., May 5.—Randolph Macon College more than made up for the defeat they suffered at the hands of the Academy when on their Easter trip, by piling up a score of 22 to 5 against the latter on the college diamond this afternoon. The Bedford Academy started off in the first inning and scored two runs off of three errors and a hit. In the second inning the college team made eleven runs, each man batting twice. Captain Anderson, in this inning faced out a three-bagger, scoring two runs ahead of him.

Ferguson and Brown worked in the box for the College until the ninth, when Coach Bliss changed the team around, substituting all the second string and putting Lane in the box. The Academy scored two runs in this inning. The game was loosely played on both sides, the College team making six errors and the Bedford boys making five.

The game was a hitting contest, with the College pounding the ball to all corners of the lot. The next game for the College will be against Hampden-Sidney in Ashland next Saturday. This will be the second championship game with Hampden-Sidney. The first, the Garnet and Gray took from R. M., 2 to 1.

VERBOUT PITCHES IN SPLENDID FORM

Shuts Out Shaffer's Tars, Holding Them to Four Measly Bingles.

Norfolk, Va., May 5.—With Verbout holding the Tars to four hits, three of them scratch, the Portsmouth Pirates had no trouble in defeating Norfolk 4 to 0 this afternoon. On the other hand, the Pirates found Shenn for twelve hits, everybody doing it except Hudgins. Portsmouth played a fast, snappy game, executing two double plays that killed what little chance the crew had of scoring.

An error, a single by Carter and Munday's fielders' choice gave Portsmouth its first run in the opening inning. Mullaney opened the second with a double and scored on consecutive singles by Verbout and Tennant.

A base on balls, four stolen bases and three hits in a row gave the Pirates two more in the seventh. Up to the fourth Norfolk did not get a runner on, and in the fifth and seventh Milan struck out with two men on, once with two out and the other time with one out. Listless fielding by Vogel gave Portsmouth several opportunities which were made the most of. The score:

Portsmouth.									
		AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.			
Tennant, cf.	4	2	1	1	0	0			
Carter, 2b.	4	1	2	3	5				
Munday, 1b.	5	0	1	14	0				
Cook, 2f.	4	0	1	0	0				
Howdell, ss.	5	0	1	3	0				
Mullaney, cf.	5	0	1	0	0				
Boyd, cf.	4	1	2	0					
Hudgins, c.	4	0	1	0	0				
Verbout, p.	4	0	1	0	3				
Totals.	42	4	11	27	13				

Norfolk.									
	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.			
Keller, cf.	4	0	0	2	1	0			
Kircher, 1b.	4	0	1	0	0	0			
Schraeder, 1b.	4	0	2	10	0				
Powell, cf.	4	0	1	6	1				
Vogel, 2b.	4	0	0	3	2				
Danahill, 3b.	3	0	0	3	2				
Whitcraft, ss.	3	0	1	1	3				
Milan, cf.	3	0	0	2	0				
Shenn, p.	3	0	0	0	1				

Score by innings:
Portsmouth.....1100000200—4
Norfolk.....0000000000—0
Summary: Two-base hits—Mullaney, Howdell, Shenn, Munday, Schraeder, Whitcraft, Tennant, Howdell, Carter, Cook. Double plays—Carter to Howdell to Munday (2). Base on balls—Off Shenn, 3 (Tennant, Carter, Cook). Left on bases—Portsmouth, 11; Norfolk, 5. Hit by pitched ball—Howdell. Struck out—By Verbout, 4; by Shenn, 4. Time of game, 1:43. Umpires—Colgate and Shetter. Attendance—600.

EXHIBITION GAME WON BY PIRATES

Cleveland, O., May 5.—The Pittsburgh National League club defeated the Cleveland Americans 6 to 5 in an exhibition game here to-day. This is the first time a National League club ever played here during the regular season. Recent pitchers started the game for each team, Connelman leading two innings and Cullip being replaced in the fourth. Robinson, who replaced Connelman, held Cleveland scoreless thereafter. In the ninth, Robinson's single scored the winning run.

Hans Wagner made his reappearance in the game, while Manager Fred Clarke played for the first time since the fall of 1911.
Score by innings:
Pittsburgh.....0040000020—6
Cleveland.....1200000000—5
Batteries: Connelman, Robinson and Simon; Sullivan, Kahler and O'Neill. Umpires, Hyatt and Turner.

SPIDERS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Dr. W. A. Harris Named as President of the Athletic Association for New Term.

The Richmond College Athletic Association held its final regular meeting for the season of 1912-1913 last night. Officers and managers for the next season were elected, and the winners of track letters formally announced.

The officers for the season of 1913-14 are as follows: Dr. W. A. Harris, president; J. W. C. Johnson, vice-president; C. H. Willis, secretary; R. E. Biscoe, treasurer; R. L. T. Beale, C. H. Willis, J. A. George, Dean Cole, R. A. Brock, together with Dr. Harris and Mr. Johnson, will form the executive committee.

Manager Johnson, of the track team, gave his financial report for the season of 1912, showing a small net profit. Tennie, O'Neill, Tillery, Wilson and Manager Johnson were awarded the track "R".
D. C. Culbert, of the class of 1914, was elected baseball manager for next season, with E. N. Gardner, '15, as his assistant.
A. B. Carter, of the class of 1914, was elected track manager for 1914, with E. C. Elliott, '15, as assistant.

The constitution was amended, changing the name of the all-around athlete's medal to the "Field Day" medal, and giving each competitor five points for every athletic "R" which has won. The annual field day will be held on Friday, May 16.

GEORGE STOVALL GETS SUSPENDED

St. Louis, May 5.—George Stovall, manager of the St. Louis Americans, who was suspended by President John Stoen on Sunday for his conduct in the game here Saturday, when he snatched umpire Ferguson's hat from his head and spit on his coat, expects a more severe punishment. Johnson is awaiting a letter from Umpire Ferguson describing exactly what Stovall did before he gives his final decision. Discussing the incident, Stovall said: "I lost my head. Nothing can be said in defense. I was provoked at what I thought was an unjust ruling. I expect the worst is to come."

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FRISCO NEWSBOY HAS WALKED 495,000 MILES

Julius Rath, of St. Louis, on Last Leg of 500,000 Mile Tramp for Reward of \$30,000—Has Visited Every Country in the World.

Wearing a khaki suit, with knapsack of the same cloth, and accompanied by "Jack," an Alaskan mail dog, Julius Rath, a St. Louis newsboy who left that city sixteen years ago to travel 500,000 miles by 1915, arrived in Richmond yesterday, and will spend the balance of the week here.

Young Rath was fourteen years of age when he started out on his long journey. At that time he could neither read nor write, and knew only the language of the street urchin. Today he talks interestingly, can read, and writes a nice hand, besides being able to make his wants known in twenty-six different languages, though he is a ready speaker in but eight or ten.

Rath is to visit every large city in North and South America and in Europe, Africa and Asia. He has been through the foreign lands, penetrated the rich gold fields of Alaska, visited President Wilson at the nation's capital, has secured the signatures of Mayor George A. Harris, Chief of Police Werner, and gotten the stamp of the Richmond post-office on a leaf in the 252d book he has used in gathering the names of city and State officials, together with the seals, post-office date stamps, and other memoranda to show that he has visited the cities in question.

The young traveler has covered 495,000 miles by land and sea, and while on a vessel he is supposed to walk twelve hours each day to cover the distance that he would cover if on land. At no time during his sixteen years of travel has Rath been sick, but he was in a hospital for four months in Mexico, recovering from a pistol wound in his leg. Rath is not allowed to work, to bag or borrow, but he is allowed to make money by lecturing, and selling newspapers and pictures of himself. He is equipped with a modern camera and has taken pictures in every country that he has visited, and these are used in illustrating his lectures.

"Jack," the Russian wolf dog, has been young Rath's faithful companion for three and one-half years. He is the fifth canine which has undertaken to stand the ordeal of daily traveling. During his long tramp Rath has worn out 441 pairs of shoes of the very best leather.

If Rath arrives in San Francisco in 1915 with a dog, and with \$10,000 shown on deposit to his credit, he will receive a purse of \$30,000, which he says will be up by the St. Louis Club, an organization of St. Louis business men, for the purpose of having the plucky newsboy undertake the 500,000-mile trip.

Both Rath and "Jack" are bedecked with medals and tags of various makes and shapes, and representative of hundreds of cities in various countries they have visited. Book 252, in which the names of Richmond officials appear, also contains the signature of President Wilson, private secretary, of ex-President Taft's private secretary, of Governor Hiram Johnson, of California; ex-Governor Hadley, of Missouri; and other governors of states through which Rath has passed. Rath is on the last 4,500 miles of his journey, and will visit Lynchburg, Roanoke and Bristol, en route to St. Louis, from which city he will go to Kansas City and thence on to the Pacific Slope to visit George and his family.

Three places, first, second and fourth, were taken by the Ashleigh Farm, of Delaplane, in the class for green heavyweight hunters, the horses being, respectively, Mint Julep, Cocktail and Highball. Elbridge, owned by the Blenheim Farm, of Baltimore, was third.

T. L. Evans of Warrenton, and Mrs. Allen Potts, of Gordonsville, won second and fourth places, respectively, in the toughed saddle horse class with Souther and Bonchie.

In the military class for model chargers the Ashleigh Farm furnished the winner in Cocktail, Margrave, owned by J. Brice Bayley, of Markham, was second, and Letroy, owned by W. Herring & Son, of Nokesville, was third.

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